

Sun at Sea.
Smith—Did many of the passengers go to hear Dr. Fourthly preach in the main cabin this morning?
Brown—Yes, but most of them left when he announced his text.
"What was it?"
"Cast thy bread upon the waters."—Life.

There need be no cause for fear that the miners of the Klondike regions will starve this winter. If it comes to the worst they can subsist on Andrew's stray pigeons.

Strange Death of Three Brothers.
At Comerac, in France, three brothers named Moss, all over 80 years old, have just died on alternate days in a very strange manner. The first was found Monday in a cellar half eaten by rats. The second was found Wednesday in a stable under a heap of potatoes, and the eldest, living at Flaviac, was discovered two days later dead under his bed.

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David Mills, the new Minister of Justice in the Cabinet of Premier Laurier, of Canada, is best known for his long speeches and his philosophical turn of mind.

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W. H. Clark, who refused an offer of \$50,000 for his Montana mine and demanded \$500,000, was a possessor of clocks in Wisconsin and Minnesota in his early days.

Chew Star Tobacco—The Best.
Smoke Sledge Cigarettes.

Colonel J. J. Ayres, who died recently in Los Angeles, Cal., founded the first paper in the State in 1851. This was the California Chronicle.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, softens the gums, reduces inflammation, allays pain, cures wind colic, etc., a bottle.

I believe Pico's Cure for Consumption saved my boy's life last summer. —Mrs. Allen Dorcas, Los Angeles, Mich., Oct. 30, 1894.

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Indigestion Causes Spasms—Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures.

"I have always been troubled with a weak stomach and had spasms caused by indigestion. I have taken several bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla and have not been troubled with spasms, and I advise anyone troubled with dyspepsia to take Hood's Sarsaparilla." Mrs. Hoar, Portland, Me., N. Y.

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Hood's Pills cure indigestion, biliousness.

Comradeship of Miners.

A touching incident is reported from the Australian province of Victoria. A miner met with an accident and broke his leg. The nearest doctor was at Orbest, thirty-eight miles away. He was sent for, but could not leave the town, where several serious cases claimed his attention. The miner's mates thereupon decided to carry the sufferer to Orbest, and thirty-two of them having improvised a rough stretcher carried the poor man there in a day and a half. They had to traverse the roughest country in crossing and to cross a river and two creeks, all of which were in flood. They got their mate into the doctor's hands in time to save his life.

Wanted—A Man.

Cholly—I say, Miss Ethel, why, aw—are you always aw—giving kisses to your aw—little brother?

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THE NEWS EPITOMIZED.

Washington Items.

Orders have been issued by the Navy Department for the cruiser, Detroit, to proceed to the coast of France, Havre, without delay, to relieve the cruiser Marblehead.

Secretary Gage appeared before the House Committee on Banking and Currency and submitted and explained his currency reform bill.

The Senate in executive session ratified the treaty for the extension of one year of the time for completing the marking of the Mexican boundary line. There was no debate.

Senator Wolcott said that the International Bimetallism Commission had made no report thus far, and upon his request discussion of its work was postponed until January 15.

Charles G. Dawes, of Evanston, Ill., was nominated for Controller of the Currency by President McKinley. He was born in Marietta, Ohio, August 27, 1863. His nomination was immediately confirmed by the Senate.

The President sent a batch of nominations to the Senate, including William W. Thomas, Jr., of Maine, to be Minister to Norway and Sweden, and Nathan B. Scott to be Commissioner of Internal Revenue.

The Executive Committee of the National Association of Manufacturers, together with 200 organizations of the country, has associated a committee to favor the proposed new Department of Commerce and Industry before the Senate Committee.

Secretary Gage has decided to embody his currency reform plans in one general bill, which he will present to the Banking and Currency Committee of the House.

The Senate and the House adjourned Tuesday, after a session of an hour and a half, out of respect to the President and the funeral of his mother.

Speaker Reed and the Committee on Rules will present a new code of rules to the House after the holiday recess.

The National Board of Trade, at its meeting in Washington, adopted resolutions declaring that the victory for the gold standard is not yet won, and that constant work will be required to overcome the free silver and flat money convictions of many voters.

Domestic.

John Morcan was hanged in Ripley, W. Va., for the murder near there on November 4 last of Mrs. Edward Greebe, an aged widow, her son, James Greebe, and her daughter, Matilda Post.

Carl Schurz made an address in Cincinnati, Ohio, before the National Civil Service League.

James Harry Cahill, the six-year-old son of James Cahill, and his sister, Maggie, aged four, were suffocated by a fire in the rooms occupied by the family in Newark, N. J. Both of their parents were absent at work, and the children were locked in the room. The fire broke out while the children were playing with matches.

Tramps boarded a freight train on the Big Four Railroad, sixteen miles west of Cleveland, Ohio, and shot and killed John Ehret, the conductor.

Representatives of the textile workers of Fall River, Mass., decided to ask the manufacturers for a shut-down rather than a reduction of wages. The sentiment of the operatives is in favor of a strike.

A party of seventy-one men and women started from New York City, for the Klondike gold fields, on board the steamer City of Columbia.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gunn, a town charge, living near Trenton, N. J., was murdered and her house ransacked in a search for wealth which she was supposed to have concealed.

George Jenkins was shot through the heart in a shooting affray in Bellair County, Kentucky, by Alfred Shelby, Jr., a great-grandson of the first Governor of the State.

The indictment against General Agass, of the Baltimore American, on the complaint of Senator Wellington, of Maryland, was "ignored" by the Grand Jury.

The President of the Chicago Drainage Board said that the big drainage canal would be finished in 1899.

At the Southern Bankers' Convention, held at Atlanta, Ga., resolutions were unanimously adopted calling for such revision of the banking and currency laws as will take the banking business out of politics and the Government out of the banking business.

William F. Wernz, President of the St. Louis Guaranty, Loan and Mortgage Company, was arrested in New York City on complaint of H. T. Schwahn, President of the Columbia Aluminum Company, who charges him with embezzling \$17,000.

The Indianapolis Monetary Convention will be called to meet again January 25 to consider the report of the Monetary Commission.

The Rev. David T. Howell, of Monticello, N. Y., was sentenced to five days' imprisonment or \$5 fine for assaulting his wife. He refused to pay and was sent to jail, but was finally released by a friend, who settled the fine.

Judge Sanborn, of the United States Court, in St. Louis, has postponed the sale of the Kansas City Railroad until February 15 at the request of the Government.

T. C. Beatty, nephew of General Beatty, of Ohio, and Harry Otis, alias Howard, were sentenced, at Stroudsburg, Penn., to fifteen years each for forgery.

G. R. Davies, an Englishman, has arrived at New York with a large number of draught dogs purchased in Belgium, which he is taking to the Klondike. He says each dog can draw half a ton. He is willing to contract with this Government to carry supplies to Alaska.

The plan to erect the proposed Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument on the Plaza entrance in Central Park, New York City, was vetoed by the Municipal Art Commission.

The seniors of Princeton University wrecked the gymnasium to manifest their disapproval of its antiquated appliances. The matter is being investigated by the Faculty.

Mrs. Ida Brooklesby, a wealthy Brooklyn woman, on the eve of her departure to visit her stricken mother in England, committed suicide by taking poison.

Abbie Kirby died of diphtheria in Camden, N. J. Her father is a faith healer, and was finally called to a doctor, hoping to cure her with his prayers.

The San Francisco police are guarding the Rev. George J. Gibson, Durrant's former pastor, whose life is believed to be in danger.

March Bonner and Frank King fought a duel with knives in a street in Crockett, Texas. King was wounded mortally, being disemboweled. Bonner was stabbed in seven places. The duel was the revival of a feud of a dozen years ago, which at least half a dozen men were killed.

Rabbi Dappoport, of New Haven, Conn., said the amputation of an arm, as a result of blood poisoning, caused by a cut in the little finger, received in preparing a fowl for use in the services.

Arthur Waters, aged twenty-six, drank twenty-seven glasses of whiskey at Northville, N. Y., and soon after dropped dead.

Emperor William visited Prince Bismarck at Friedrichsruh, the German cruiser Deutschland, with Prince Henry on board, and Gefion started for China.

Mexico has sent a warship to learn whether the British are in possession of Clipperton Island. If it is true, an effort will be made diplomatically to recover it.

The steamer Cleveland, which carried a crew of thirty men and twelve passengers, was wrecked on Vancouver Island. Twenty-two sailors are reported missing.

News and Notes FOR WOMEN.

New Zealand's Idle Women.

Women are allowed to practice law in New Zealand. But in a recent letter to a London paper mention is made of the suicide of a female lawyer who had waited three years in vain for clients. Reference is also made to thirty-two women who passed examinations as teachers, but were unable to get places, as men are preferred for the high schools.

The Becomingness of Fur.

What woman does not know the becomingness of fur on a cold crisp day, when the eyes are brightened and the color of the cheeks heightened by the stiff, bracing air? Fur, if selected to suit the wearer and worn consistently, does more to lend youth and freshness to the face and general style than almost any other accessory of feminine dress, and the woman of forty-five who affects furs to harmonize with her general coloring of hair, skin and eyes can take many years from her usual appearance.—Women's Home Companion.

The Age of Women.

The common objection among womankind to letting their ages be known is not shared by the women of Japan, who actually display their age in the arrangement of their hair.

Girls from nine to fifteen wear their hair interlaced with red-ropes describing a half-circle around the head, the forehead being left free with a curl at each side. From fifteen to thirty, the hair is dressed very high on the forehead, and put up at the back in the shape of a fan or butterfly, with interlacing of silver cord and a decoration of colored balls. Beyond thirty, a woman twists her hair around a shell pin, placed horizontally at the back of the head. Widows also designate themselves and whether or not they desire to marry again.—Detroit Free Press.

New Trade For Women.

A large firm of furniture removers in London have recently added to their staff a lady whose special business it is to advise a newly removing householder concerning the disposition of his belongings.

She takes all the responsibility about the placing of each chair, table and knickknack. The householder simply leaves his house one morning as usual, and returns at night to his new dwelling to find all the furniture in its place, and everything indescribably improved and homelike. The "adviser" has a most refined taste, and this, added to the knack of being able to picture the look of a room with any possible arrangement of the contents, enables her to transform the most unpromising material into veritable "bowers of ease and delight."

Her fee (half-a-guinea per room) includes three visits—to the house in order to view the furniture she is about to place—to the new residence to note the size and disposition of the rooms, and a final one to see that her instructions are being carried out by the furniture removers.—New York Journal.

Woolen Fabrics.

Among the woolen materials most worn this season is woolen poplin, plain or of various colors mixed, such as Serres blue, indigo, navy blue, coffee color, beaver, beige, fougere green, etc.

Another novelty is that of tussu-passamenterie, which gives the effect of silk ribbons passed through a network of mohair. Tartan materials are also made in mohair in small checks on a silk ground of the same colors.

Another kind of material is a sort of diagonal, in which are mixed brilliant threads, which give a lustre to the stuff.

Another tissue is a cloth with a black warp and colored weft, blue, red or brown, which produces a very pretty changing effect.

Other materials worn are amazon cloth, chine cloth, covert coat cloth and whipcord.

In the way of ornaments, I have seen applications of cloth of different colors, generally shaded, piped, braided and embroidered with small steel beads.

Mohair braids are also laid on in curls, grouped or isolated and sewn along one edge or both edges.

Lastly some very pretty embroideries are made resembling lace cut up, laid on over a ground of gauze, that can be sewn on the material, which produces the effect of being embroidered direct on the dress.—New York Herald.

Owls Now in Favor.

Owls are the latest "trimmings" for women's hats. From time immemorial the owl has been known as the bird of night, shrinking from the glare of sunshine and finding the greatest comfort in dark caves and the hollows of old trees, coming forth only at night, but now, under fashion's latest decree, this bird of darkness is in evidence on every side, and his broad, flat face, small eyes and hooked beak surround fresh, rosy, youthful faces and form by contrast a strange frame for the female faces they adorn.

During last summer a few ultra fashionable women had two or three great owl heads crushed in among the wings and ribbons on their traveling hats, and from the very oddity of the idea the hats were striking and stylish. Not content with heads, fashion has now decreed that the whole bird shall

adorn the fall and winter sailors and toques.

In spite of the society formed to prevent the killing of birds for ornamenting millinery, and the thousands of signatures affixed to the numerous petitions sent broadcast all over the country, in which women pledge themselves not to wear birds or feathers of any kind on their hats, this is essentially a bird year, and the favorite of all the feathered tribe is the owl.

To be strictly fashionable the head, wings and tail feathers of the birds must all be used on one hat, and sometimes these hats are very expensive.

Gossip.

Miss Grace McKinley, a niece of the President, takes leading parts in dramatic entertainments at Mount Holyoke College.

There has been a Government inquiry in Glasgow, Scotland, recently over the matter of the abuse of telephone girls by irate subscribers of the company.

Mrs. Alice Bradford Wiles, President of the Illinois Federation of Women's Clubs, is a New Englander, and boasts among her ancestors Mary Chilton, "the Orphan of Plymouth," and John Winslow, her husband.

A New Hampshire woman, Mrs. Maritta M. Bicker, who is an attorney-at-law, a politician and Commissioner and Examiner in Chancery, has announced herself a candidate for Congress from the First Congress District of her State.

French women of fashion are going in for fur trimmings to the greatest extremes. In addition to wearing bands of chinchilla on everything from ball gowns to tea jackets, some of them have the tops of their boots ornamented with a circle of fur.

Mrs. Murfee, of Meridian, Miss., Vice-President of the United Daughters of the Confederacy of that State, is seeking the assistance of the Missouri Daughters of the Confederacy in the project to purchase the old home of Jefferson Davis at Beauvoir.

Miss De la Ramee, known to fame as "Ouida," is eccentric in dress. She favors light colors, quite out of harmony with her age and appearance generally. Her face is not innocent of powder and her hair is arranged in a curly mass, with ribbon on it.

When Professor Virchow, of Berlin, was in Russia a few weeks ago a deputation of women physicians visited him and thanked him for having thrown open his lecture room and laboratory to a Russian woman when the German universities did not admit female students.

Lola M. Coulter, a fourteen-year-old girl, of Stockton, Cal., is an engineer, and knows how to handle the throttle as well as a man. She has made trips over some of the most difficult grades and curves in the West and has proved that she has a steady nerve and a keen eye.

A professional woman who has to employ a young woman assistant says that one of her greatest troubles is that her assistants are constantly trying to impress not only upon her, but upon her patients, that they are not accustomed to such employment, but have been brought up to better things, though she is well aware of the fact that the young women have come from homes where there was neither culture nor money.

Latest Fashion Novelties.

Small back and hip bustles.

Black Chantilly lace flouncing.

Long, thin silk scarfs for the neck.

Soft tones of green in suede gloves.

Plaid and fancy hosiery in brilliant array.

Net by the yard crossed with braid for vests.

Long ulsters of plain cloth with fur finishing.

Shirts having but two seams, back and front.

Russian blouses and shirt waists of velvet.

Corduroy costumes trimmed with jet and fur.

Cloth costumes made up with plaid accessories.

Fur coats showing a loose front and belted back.

Fancy muffs and collars in two contrasting furs.

Collars of silk with a gauze ruche and cravat bow.

Vicuna cloths in black and colors for tailored suits.

Plaittings of shaded silk for puff effects on large hats.

Plaittings of narrow ribbon or silk for dress trimmings.

Tailor suits of rough black goods trimmed with braid.

Glass lamp shades in translucent and enameled effects.

Girls' plaid frocks made with the blocks bias or straight.

Short petticoats of crepon trimmed with lace or silk embroidery.

Suits showing sleeves, belt and yoke of velvet and blouse and skirt of cloth, moire velour or drap d'ete.

The Cherokee form of marriage is perhaps the simplest of any. The man and woman merely join hands over a running stream, emblematic of the wish that their future lives should flow on in the same channel.

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Parturition.

Childbirth, when natural, should be easy, and it is always easy when the right preparations are made. Nature never intended that woman should be tortured when doing the one thing that makes her wholly womanly.

To fear or shrink from childbirth is a crime—not by the laws of society, but by the laws of heredity—for the mother's condition reacts upon her offspring. Every child has an inalienable right to be born on purpose, and the right to be the product of the best manhood and best womanhood in parents and the consummation of their life's work.

To secure this condition, the best tonic that can be used is Dr. Simmons' Squaw Vine Wine. It is perfectly safe and harmless to use at all times and under all circumstances. It does not produce any of the effects of the drugs prescribed. It assists nature in softening, relaxing and expanding the muscles and ligaments involved, thereby decreasing labor pains and shortening labor. Rapid, safe and comparatively painless delivery follow its continuous use.

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